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In re Patent Application of:
Abdullah I. HAJ-YEHIA

Application No.: 10/532,390
Int'l No.: PCT/US2003/000878

Int'l File Date: October 24, 2003

Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned

For: STEROID COMPOUNDS COMPRISING
SUPEROXIDE DISMUTASE
MIMIC GROUPS AND NITRIC OXIDE
DONOR GROUPS, AND THEIR USE IN THE
PREPARATION OF MEDICAMENTS

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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Dear Sir:

This Communication is being co-filed with the response to Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371.

The Applicants note that in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements an inventor declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) is submitted herewith. In addition, a power of attorney, statement under 37 C.F.R. 3.73b, copy of the inventor assignment, and a supplemental Application Data Sheet are also submitted herewith.

The Applicants would like to note for the record that the Notification of Missing Requirements dated March 10, 2006 was **not** received from the Office by the Applicants. The copy of the Notice to which the Applicants are responding was identified and downloaded in a PAIRS status check performed by the Applicants. The Applicants have verified via the PAIRS database

that the correspondence address listed in connection with the present application is correct. The Applicants hope to timely receive future correspondence from the Office.

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Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 04/21/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 04/21/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 04/21/2005
- Copy of Annexes to the IPE filed on 04/21/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/21/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/26/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/21/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 04/21/2005
- Specification filed on 04/21/2005
- Claims filed on 04/21/2005
- Drawings filed on 04/21/2005

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 254082000500
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/IL2003/000878	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 24 October 2003	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/532,390
TITLE OF INVENTION STERIOD COMPOUNDS COMPRISING SUPEROXIDE DISMUTASE MIMIC GROUPS AND NITRIC OXIDE DONOR GROUPS, AND THEIR USE IN THE PREPARATION OF MEDICAMENTS		PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 25 October 2002
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Abdullah I. HAJ-YEHIA		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
<p>1. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</p> <p>2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31).</p> <p>5. <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</p> <p>6. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.</p> <p>d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).</p> <p>9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). (2 pages)</p> <p>10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).</p> <p>Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:</p> <p>11. <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.</p> <p>12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</p> <p>13. <input type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment.</p> <p>14. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. (Supplemental) (2 pages)</p> <p>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</p> <p>16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. (1 page)</p> <p>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.</p> <p>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p>		

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20. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements (2 pages); Communication (2 pages); Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) + copy of Assignment (2 pages); and Return Receipt Postcard					
The following fees have been submitted				CALCULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY
21. <input type="checkbox"/> Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a))..... \$300				\$ 0.00	
22. <input type="checkbox"/> Examination fee (37 CFR 1.492(c)) If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)..... \$0 All other situations \$200				\$ 0.00	
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Total claims	50 - 50 =	0	x 50.00	0.00	
Independent claims	5 - 5 =	0	x 200.00	0.00	
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by 1/2.					
SUBTOTAL =				\$ 65.00	
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).				\$ 0.00	
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$ 65.00	
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +				\$ 0.00	
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filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status.

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